

## Capitol Petroleum Company

A PRODUCING DIVISION—PAYING COMPANY

In a few days will send two representatives to Tampico, Mexico, Mr. A. A. Miller, vice-president and Mr. John G. Powell, general counsel, who will confer with the Company's local manager, Mr. Guthrey, regarding storage, transportation and arrangements for drilling Well No. 3, as soon as Well No. 2 is finished.

THE CAPITOL PETROLEUM COMPANY,  
Denver, Colo.

Gentlemen:  
Yesterday our "Northerners" began. This means that our prevailing winds for the next four months will come from the north, and consequently our rains for that period are practically over with. This means everything to the oil operator, as our roads will be dry, and the fivers eliminated. For the past three months the most accurate estimate that we have here by the best posted oil companies is that it has taken three dollars to do one dollar's worth of work.

It was our misfortune to have to contend with this particular condition of the weather, but from actual records we have had fifty-three inches of rain since July 1st. The peculiar thing is that this is about the first rain they have had in this country for three years. I give you this just as an illustration of a part of our difficulties of operation.

Yours truly,  
H. B. GUTHREY.

THE CAPITOL PETROLEUM COMPANY,  
Denver, Colo.

Gentlemen:

Tampico Tamps, Mexico,  
October 19, 1919.

I have your telegram saying that Powell and Miller could come as soon as necessary. I am glad of this as there are several important business propositions to be seriously considered for our company.

1. If our well is a very big one and it looks as though it would be, we will have to determine upon the sale of the oil, sale of the well, storage of the oil and its transportation.

2. The River Boat Business is very important and should be determined upon within a short time.

3. We have submitted to you a proposition to sell a portion of our holdings at a big profit to our company.

These are only a few of the things I want to take up in detail with Powell and Miller.

Yours truly,  
H. B. GUTHREY.

Owing to the fact that many received information so late concerning our proposition to send in their subscriptions before November 15th, so that they might share in the forty thousand dollar dividend (\$40,000.00) to be paid on or about November 15th, I have made a reservation of 100,000 shares of stock and will take care of all orders that are sent in by wire, until November 20th. Buy now before stock advances, and participate in this dividend. Capitol Petroleum pays dividends every three months at an increased rate.

I am still offering the Capitol Stock at one dollar per share, and will continue to accept orders at this price until further notice. The advance may come at any time, however. Buy now, before the next advance. For free information and literature, address—

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### JEFFERSON

Jefferson, Texas, Nov. 13.—Sunday all of the Sunday schools report that their attendance were good. Rev. F. D. Mays, pastor of St. Paul church preached his farewell sermon last night and will leave for conference soon. We are in hope that he will soon be back to stay another twelve months, and help to spread the light as he have since he has been here with us.

Macedonia postponed calling pastor until next Sunday, November 16th, and ask that every member be present on that date.

We had another great rain here last night and we are looking for more high water as big Cypress has not gone down in her banks. The Johnson and Brown show has been named and here after will be called the Black Cat Concert Company. Saturday night they had another full house.

Remember while you are in the city call at the American Woodmen office at W. S. H. Pryor Undertaker Establishment and get an Express, the best Negro paper that is printed in southland. Read the news note the headlines, and watch the changes, keep up with us is our motto.

### WACO.

Waco, Texas, Nov. 13.—Mrs. O. E. McMillan and children of Prairie View are visitors to Mrs. W. P. Waite and friends. Rev. J. G. Gilbert of Corsicana was a week-end visitor to our city. Mr. O. E. Thomas of Gonzales visited his daughter and her husband, Mrs. J. W. Burton and Reverend visited the Cotton Palace were Mr. N. D. Woods, Mr. C. Wagoner, Misses B. Wintberg, Claudia B. B. and Mrs. J. Wilson and Mrs. Ed Orvis all were Dallas visitors to our city. New arrival to Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Tom Sheppard's home a girl, Mrs. Fanny Pitts. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace of Dallas were Cotton Palace guests of Rev. and Mrs. Montgomery.

Mrs. Viney Grady is visiting in Fort Worth. Miss Zoe Wells of Los Angeles is visiting parent on S. 9th street. Mrs. E. L. Rabb and children of Thordale spent the week with Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Williams. Prof. Banks of the high school in Corsicana was down last Saturday and Sunday.

Prof. A. D. Ewell of Prairie View came up Friday to take charge of the P. V. exhibit. Miss Adams, head Miss in the P. V. Normal was up also. Miss Vain Green left today for Princeton, where she will be with relatives indefinitely. Mrs. Mary L. Turner and Little Otto have returned from Avenger, Texas. Mrs. Turner is confined to her bed. We hope for her a speedy recovery. We regret to chronicle the death of Mrs. Bertha Cook, mother of Mrs. W. S. Willis, who died Friday evening at the residence of her daughter. Remains were shipped to Austin for burial Saturday. Ours is theirs in this hour of bereavement.

### Second Baptist Church.

Dr. S. Montgomery, Pastor.  
Notwithstanding that our Sunday school was largely attended. Supt. A. M. Spence was on the job at 11:45 a. m. the pastor preached a logical sermon, subject "Am I My Brother's Keeper?" Text Gen. 4:9. The rain prevented our 3 o'clock services. At 7:30 p. m. the pastor preached to the delight of all present, subject "There is no Neutral Ground" text 1 Kings 18:21. This was a good stirring sermon. Ascessions one, collection \$44.00.

### PILOT POINT.

Pilot Point, Texas, Nov. 13.—Sunday services were rained out at all churches Sunday. Rev. Duley of Fort Worth, Mrs. M. M. Parker and daughter, Cecil of Wichita Falls, are the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Alexander. Miss Myrtle Boyd left for Bishop college Saturday. Mrs. Lola Foster has returned from a visit to her daughter in Wichita Falls. Miss Dollie Boyd and sister, Mrs. Gertin spent Saturday in Fort Worth. Mr. Ed Watson visited his sister in Denton, Sunday. Mrs. Eugene Hodge and daughter, Eldora returned Sunday from Waco, where they attended the Cotton Palace. Worth Trammel, ten year old son of Mr. John Trammel held the lucky ticket that entitled him to the \$10.00 gold piece given away by Looper Bros.

### DENVER.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 13.—The Imperial Comus Club gave a subscription Halloween Dance which was very well attended. A number of guests from Colorado Springs and Boulder were present.

Roscoe Conklin Simmons will speak at the Auditorium on Nov. 17th.

Mr. John Carlie, Jr., died in Seattle Thursday morning.

Shorter A. M. E. church gave a reception last Tuesday evening in honor of their new pastor, Rev. Thomas The Y. M. C. A. has opened a campaign for membership also for a new building.

The Y. M. C. A. has secured a permanent Secretary, Mrs. Cordelia Winn of New York.

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The War Community Service House received word from Washington this week that their quarters would continue until May 1st.

### CONVICT UNDER GUISE OF NEGRO

Seeks To Escape From Famous New York Prison.—Placed Rag Doll Dummy in Bed—Attempt Foiled By Experienced Guard.

Ossining, N. Y., Nov. 13.—Sing Sing convicts who attempt to escape by leaving "rag doll" dummies of themselves in their cells to fool the guards should remember that, like the gold game, when tried too frequently, it is bound to fail.

Joseph Gatto, who arrived in the prison last February to spend the next fifteen years as the result of a certain highway robbery in New York City, grew tired of confinement and attempted the dummy trick. But he tried it on Frank Price, keeper, who was fooled successfully by John McAllister, three months ago, who still is at large. Price, suspended after the escape, only recently returned to the post.

He ordered the prisoners into their cells after supper at 7 o'clock, to call the roll, as is customary before the men are released again to go to the movies. He called the name of "Joseph Gatto," but Joseph responded not. Straightway Price entered the cell to find beneath the bedclothes what Edwin B. Brophy, warden, described as a "big rag doll."

Immediately he spread the alarm and a posse of keepers hunted the missing prisoner. Half an hour later they discovered him in the pipe shop, hidden in a pile of material in a corner.

To facilitate his flight, the guards discovered he had procured a quantity of lamp black in the pipe shop with which to blacken out the white stripes of his uniform and perhaps to blacken his face, so that he would have about as high visibility as a Negro on a stormy night.

Prison officials look upon Gatto's dummy as crude in comparison with the deceiving manikin McAllister constructed. Gatto had merely taken some muslin strips, rags and his pillow, molded them roughly to correspond with his torso and then crudely attempted to sketch the features of a face.

Gatto's attempt marked the fourteenth time in fifty years that the dummy trick had been tried.

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Brains, 15c, two set	25c	Veal Stew	10c
Pork Roast	30c	Veal Chops	20c
Pork Steak	30c	Veal Loins Steak	25c
Prime Rib Roast	22c	Veal Leg	20c
Seven Steaks	15c	Veal Roll Roast	20c
Chuck Steak	15c	Lamb or Mutton Stew	12c
Veal Round Steak	35c	Leg Mutton or Lamb	20c
		Mutton or Lamb Chops	25c
		Lamb Shoulder	20c
		Mixed Sausage	20c
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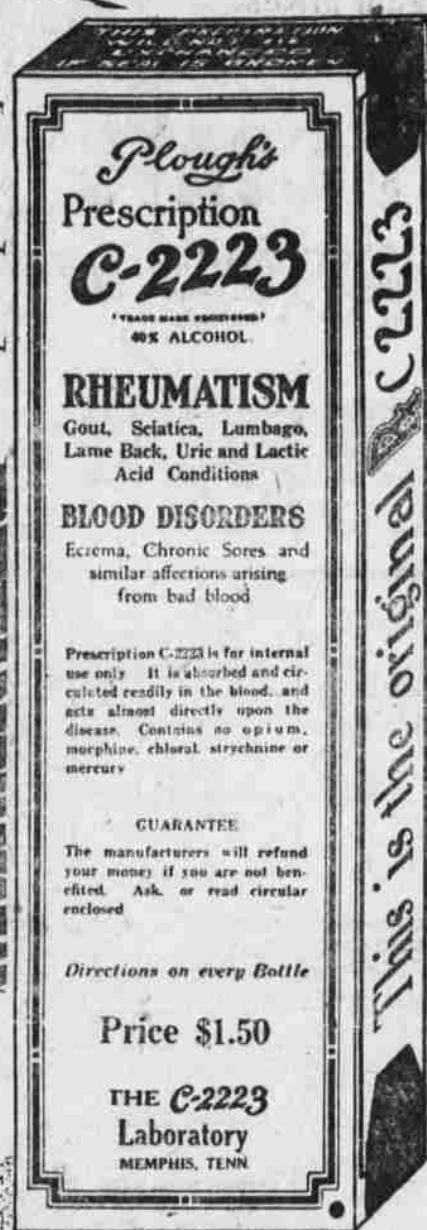
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